

# **Kushan Art and Architecture: The Finest In the History!**

## **Splendid arts and architectural designs**

Kushan art and architecture is rightly considered to be the finest in the world. Be it the sculpture of Buddha sitting on the throne like a king instead of like a hermit or the painting of Buddha with the hair fashioned in the Greek style; there is no end to the splendid craft of the artists. Beautiful engravings and decorations marked the beauty of the architecture under King Kanishka's rule.

Peshawar was the capital of the Kushan Empire, which made it the most important city in the entire kingdom. The king naturally built more elegant structures in this particular city making it the most beautiful city in entire India. The most elegant architecture built by Kanishka in Peshawar was called Shah Ji ki Dehn. It is actually a tower made up of wood whose relics are still present in the city of Peshawar. As founded out by certain historians, it was a thirteen-story tower with a copper dome at the top.

## **Unbelievable Structure**

You should give credit to the Kushan art and architecture to have developed so much during that scientifically backward age. You should know that the growth of Kushan art took place around 1<sup>st</sup> century AD, which makes all the structure made during that time even more awe-inspiring.

With the minimum scientific progress, the people were able to make such gigantic and at the same time such elegant structures which only seems unbelievable. The very feeling of amazement would make you appreciate their achievement in the field of art and architecture even more. Click here <http://socialsciencearticles.com/art-and-architecture-during-the-kushan-rule/> to know more details about Kushan art and architecture.